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OUR NEIGHBORS.

Rev. B. S. Akers has purchased property in Ceredo and will move there from Catlettsburg.

Mrs. Jane Smith, of Catlettsburg, is in very poor health and her friends are very anxious about her condition.

Claude Coleman, who was badly injured at Whitehouse about three months ago while at work for railroad contractors, is just out of the hospital.

Miss H. R. Hinn, of New Matamoras, O., went to London this morning, with a view to opening a fashionable millinery store at this place.—Ashland Independent.

Judge C. H. Hill, of Winchester, and Chas. J. Hovos, of Paintsville, are candidates to represent the Tenth congressional district at the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis.

A special from Iowa, says—Alvin, the four-year-old son of William Barrett, shot and instantly killed Leonard, the six-year-old son of G. W. Alley at his home in Warfield. The children were playing with a gun.

J. H. Hill, manager for the Western Kanawha Coal Company, has begun mining coal at the new mine at Minkoff in Lincoln county on the line of the Guyanotte Valley, and the number will be greatly increased in the near future.

The six year old son of Dr. J. B. Watson, of Polk, near Ashland, was bitten by a mad dog Thursday and has been taken to the Pasteur Institute at St. Louis for treatment. Mrs. Watson is a sister of Miss Blanche Williams, and they are daughters of Dr. N. K. Williams, formerly of Willard.

At Warfield, Wednesday evening, Alvin Barnett aged 4, son of Lillie Barnett, while playing with a companion, Leonard Alley, the 10 year old son of Rev. George Alley, shot and killed the Ally boy with a 22 target rifle. Mr. Alley moved from Iowa to Warfield about three years ago.

A very bad shooting affair took place at Theaker last Saturday. Constable Dave Howell is the one accused of the shooting and a young man by the name of Duff is the unfortunate one who is now dead from the wound. There are a number of stories of how it all occurred.

Dr. W. W. Hays, of Peach Orchard, was called to see Mrs. L. Dempsey, Monday. Mrs. J. W. Horn, who has been sick for the past two weeks, is improving. Master Homes Kirk has been very sick for the past two weeks but is now able to be in school.—Marion County News.

Prof. J. G. Talbert, has accepted a position with the Commercial and will be with us as soon as he finishes his school which he is now teaching in Lawrence County. Prof. Talbert is a good writer, as well as a thorough business man, and we feel delighted to have secured his services.—Paintsville Commercial.

The farm and personal estate of Uncle George Stamper, deceased, on Greasy creek, Lawrence Co., was sold at public auction by his son, A. J. Stamper. By the terms of the will, the farm was devised to A. J. Stamper prior to the death of his father, upon condition that it be sold to the best bidder, after the father's death. Joshua Stamper was the successful bidder, the price realized being \$1,110. All the heirs will share equally.—Ex.

Smallpox on Guyan. Parties who arrived here at noon today from the Guyan Valley railway say that the smallpox situation is not improving there to any extent and that many deaths are taking place at Hadley, Fourteen mile and Big Creek. The disease was at first of a mild

form, but now it has assumed a very severe nature and physicians say that it will take great effort on the part of the health authorities to suppress it. At Cove Gap Mrs. Thos. McCoy, an excellent lady died from the affection, and Mrs. Murray, of Fourteen expired from the disease.

Dick Hall, who is wanted in Knott county for burglary, was captured at Hadley, a mining town on the Guyan River railroad in West Virginia. He was shot in the arm by detective John Drawn before being captured. Hall was out on bond and skipped from Knott county and his bondsmen had him traced. Hall was taken back to Knott county.

Salisbury, Ky., Feb. 27.—Silas Harrell, aged twenty-three, committed suicide at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon by shooting himself through the heart. The tragedy occurred ten miles above this place on the Licking. He served as a private in the war with Spain and had been married only a few months. His wife had deserted him.

In a box car on a siding just below Kenova, are a number of colored men who are afflicted with smallpox. The car is well decorated with yellow flags and there is but little danger of visitors trespassing. The first case developed Sunday and now there are several. The car is in view of the county road leading up the Big Sandy.—Huntington Herald.

A charter was issued to the Huntington and Charleston Railroad Company, with the principal office at Huntington, W. Va., for the purpose of building and operating a steam electric railroad, connecting Huntington and Charleston. Capital stock, \$20,000. The incorporators are W. H. Thompson, E. M. Watts, T. J. Bryan, A. E. Bush, Z. T. Vinson, all of Huntington.

The old court house, just abandoned, was commenced in 1833 and completed in 1842, the first circuit court being held in it in June, 1843. John Lisle Elliott was the contractor on the brick and stone work and David Morgan did the wood-work. The building was thoroughly repaired in 1865, the floor being raised and changes made in the roof and the cupola added.—Grayson Tribune.

Ashland, Ky.—A bad fire in the Ventura drug store occurred at 4 o'clock Thursday morning. This store occupied one room in the Ventura Hotel building, and a panic among the hundred or more guests was narrowly averted, many of them fleeing to the street half dressed. The loss to drugist A. Schmitt was about \$7,000, with \$3,500 insurance. The hotel company lost nothing.

Proctor Howe, age 18 years and son of Rev. J. H. Howe, died at his home on the river below town last Saturday of pneumonia after a very short illness. Mrs. J. C. C. Mayo, and son, master John, and Miss Ora Preston, left Monday for Florida where they will remain for three months. They were accompanied as far as Catlettsburg by Mrs. T. J. Mayo, who will visit her daughter Miss Fannie at Millersburg.—Paintsville Commercial.

In the Johnson Circuit Court Dave Hall was sentenced to the penitentiary for twelve years for killing Will Goodman at Whitehouse last spring.

The case against Con Cheek for alleged connection with the killing of Lee Dollarhide was filed away.

Nimrod Mollett confessed to burglarizing John R. Mollett's store at Boone's Camp and was given two years.

George Hiltchcock, for killing Wall Hill, got two years.

Milton Music is sentenced two years for killing Wm. Ghose.

Wit Culbertson was sent up for two years for shooting at Mill Meale.

Two Killings Near Warfield. On last Saturday evening, about one mile from Warfield, and near Marrowbone Creek, Biza Brewer was shot and instantly killed by John Stepp. Stepp and Brewer, it is said, had not been on friendly terms for a year or more, and last Saturday, Brewer, while intoxicated, broke the door of the store open in which Stepp is one of the firm. Stepp and his father repaired the broken door and started them and in a threatening manner, tried to get the father to return to the store with him, when the son threatened him to leave them alone and not by the son. As soon as the father learned of the four angry heavily armed men, trouble home paper.

several and burned the store house and would have burned the Stepp residence had not Mrs. Stepp extinguished the fire.

Commonwealth's Attorney John M. Waugh, of Grayson, is jubilant over the arrival of a fine girl at his home.

Congressman Hughes was renominated by acclamation at the convention at Williamson last Saturday.

Dave Hall, who killed Will Goodman at White House, last summer, was tried at Paintsville, and sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary.

Thieves entered the express office at Prestonsburg and stole about eight gallons of whisky. Young men of prominent families are expected, and arrests will follow.—Ex.

Jas. O'Brien, of Louisa, A. H. Savage, of Round Bottom, Dr. Watson of Louisa, and Ben Vanhorn, of Buchanan, came down on the O. & E. S. train Monday morning.—Catlettsburg Times.

A meeting was held in the courthouse at Salersville and a large majority voted in favor of the creation of a new judicial district composed of Floyd, Knott and Magoffin counties.

Messrs. Fred Stewart and Fred Jackson went to Torchlight, Lawrence county, Saturday, to attend the wedding of William Wallace and Miss Georgia Quisenberry.—Ashland Independent.

Williamson, W. Va., Feb. 28.—The body of an unknown man was found on the hillside near Boone Station, on the Norfolk and Western, the skull crushed, the throat cut and the body covered with leaves. From all indications the man had been murdered some eight or ten hours before, the object no doubt being robbery. Nothing was left in the pockets of the murdered man by which he could be identified. Not far from the body was a bloody mallet, this having been used in crushing the skull. Jake Cobes, living near the scene, was arrested and blood spots about his garments lead officials to believe he may be guilty. He was taken today to the county jail at Williamson. The murdered man, it is believed, may be John Greenham, a buyer of staves and lumber, living near Paintsville.

GERMAN SYRUP. We want to impress on our readers that Boche's German Syrup is positively the only preparation on the market today that does relieve and cure consumption. It contains the specific, such as pure tar, extracts of gums, etc., which have been so highly endorsed for the cure of coughs, colds and consumption by the great medical congresses. The consumptive, whether his disease be in the throat or lungs, must have rest at night, and be free from the spasms of dry and hacking cough in the morning. The diseased parts want rest, healing and soothing treatment, and the patient needs fresh air, good food, etc. German Syrup will give free and easy expectation in the morning with speedy and permanent relief. Small bottles 25 cents; regular size, containing nearly four times as much, 75 cents. At all druggists.

CHEROKEE.

The Ohio saw mill company is doing a lively business at this place.

W. A. Cole has moved his family to Boyd county, and he is hauling for the mill at this place making his boarding place at Mrs. Nannie Pollys on Blaine.

W. D. Cole has moved to Boyd county. Also George Polter and son of Pike county, have moved into the houses vacated by the Coles.

May Gambill and wife have moved to Greenup county and Nat Bates will move to the house vacated by them.

Hillie Thompson of this place is attending school at Blaine.

Columbus L. Moore, of Blaine, is driving for C. O. McDougle.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Felix Moore, (Elk Moore's son), a prosperous merchant of Morgan county. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family and friends.

Miss Evans, of Prosperity, is married to Miss Vic Thompson of Paintsville.

Jack Curran and Mollie Berry of Adams were married last week.

Wake up ye writers from Blaine. We would be glad to hear from Joe and Rastus. Amoroso.

The Farmers Work.

This is a good time of the year for farmers to be getting ready for spring work, so that when the time for work comes no time shall be lost in preparation. Locations for tobacco beds should be selected and brush and wood for burning same be placed at hand. Plow gear should be looked up and missing or broken parts replaced. Plows, harrows, etc. looked after and repaired if necessary. Seed corn should be selected when the corn is gathered in the field, but if not done at that time, during the winter it should be attended to. If fencing is necessary this should be done when the weather will permit.—Exchange.

Happy, Healthy Children

Any child can take Little Early Risers with perfect safety. They are harmless, never gripe or sicken, and yet they are so certain in results that robust constitutions requiring drastic means are never disappointed. They cannot fail to perform their mission and every one who uses Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers prefer them to all other pills. They cure biliousness, Sold by the Louisa Drug Co. Dr. J. D. Biggs, Mgr.

A Severe Cold for Three Months.

The following letter from A. J. Nisbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story. "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Kidney and Urinary, and eight doses cured me." Refuse substitutes. Louisa Drug Co.

New Game Law.

The sportsmen of Kentucky have at last framed a series of laws that are expected to protect the fish and game of the State. By natural conditions Kentucky is especially adapted to the propagation of fish and game, yet in no State has there been more wanton destruction of both. Provision is made against the killing of quail for two years, in which the time the birds may multiply without interference.

Another of the bills creates the office of Fish and Game Warden, with power to appoint a Deputy Warden in every county in the State. A gun license for non-residents is imposed, as well as a small license for hunters of this State, which, with the fines and forfeitures will provide a sum sufficient to pay the salary of the Warden and all the expenses of the office. County Courts also given jurisdiction, which will result in a better enforcement of the bill.

Mules Bring Good Prices.

The high prices and good demand for mules are making the owners of these graceful animals but useful beasts of burden feel in good spirits, and many are taking advantage to let some of their stock go at good prices. Traders and a few up-to-date farmers understand the cause of higher prices for mules, which are enumerated as being the high price of cotton, the Panama canal building and the war in Europe.—Blue Grass Clipper.

LOWER TWIN BRANCH.

Since March has come the usual bustling around among farmers has begun, and it is "Good bye to old neighbors and Good morning to new ones."

Cyrl Dorfield has rented of B. F. Carter, Henry Hughes moved to Morgan Creek, Chas. Adams moved to Wm. Shannon's farm on Rock House, Sam Jube moved into Hugh Sparks' residence near Oale.

Five young men of Irish crock and Morgan creek were recently arraigned in our Justice court and each was fined \$25. This seems to break the spell.

Tom Burchett, Jr. passed up our creek Sunday morning enroute to D. H. Taylor's.

Ora Prince, the pious mail carrier from Oale to Louisa, deserves the respectful recognition of all who know him for his prompt and general performance of every duty.

"Grandma" Gilliam is very ill at this writing.

Joe Prince has just finished gathering corn.

Bugs Sparks and sons are engaged in the crumple business.

Smith Jobe, of Rend, W. Va. is expected home soon to spend the coming season.

Atty. Jobe has just received a new supply of law books which add greatly to his library.

The school trustees of Shady Grove District have made an order forbidding the use of the house by any one except for educational purposes and Sunday school.

Miss Rosa Sparks of Yatesville visited her sister Mrs. Nora Jobe, here last week.

We hope to have Sunday school organized at our school house in the near future.

Jim Jobe, of Fairmont, W. Va., will visit among relatives here soon.

Kay Adams returned home to spend the spring and summer. Our school dist. (63) is stamping to collect tax for the purpose of building a new school house. Every patron should encourage this movement. Evangeline.

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C. & O. Will Purchase.

It is reported on authority which seems absolutely reliable that within the next two months the C. & O. road will acquire by purchase the entire system of the Detroit Southern Company. The report comes from a representative of an immense fuel concern, and he is in a position to know. The C. & O. System must have an outlet in the Great Lakes, where the greater part of the coal and coke handled by it is consumed. By going over the Detroit Southern from this point, it greatly lessens the distance now traveled. In addition to this, the C. & O. would come in for the ore carrying trade from the North to the furnaces and mills in this section.—Fronton Ironclad.

Why She Had No Spoon.

A good story about J. Pierpont Morgan has just come to light. At the notable dinner that P. A. H. Widener gave to Mr. Morgan last winter in Philadelphia, it happened, by some unfortunate oversight, that the guest of honor had no oyster fork. In commenting good-naturedly on this accident, Mr. Morgan said: "I am reminded of an anecdote my father used to tell about a certain Mrs. Murphy. Mrs. Murphy, it seems, was dining out and had no salt spoon. The hostess called her butler's attention to this fact.

"William," she said, 'Mrs. Murphy has no saltspoon.'"

"Madam," William answered gravely, 'the last time Mrs. Murphy dined here we lost a salt spoon.'"—Illustrated Bits.

Working Overtime.

Eight hour laws are ignored by those careless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are away at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at A. M. Hughes, drug store.

Order Lawrence County Court.

February Term, 13 day of February 1904. It appearing by written petition signed by a number of the legal voters of Lyon voting precinct No. 8, amounting to more than twenty-five per cent of the legal votes cast at the last general election, having been filed in the Lawrence County Court at the January term 1904.

It is ordered that an election be held in the said Lyon Voting Precinct on the 19 day of March 1904, at the voting place in said voting Precinct, and the Sheriff of Lawrence County, or other officers, who may be appointed to hold said election, be and they are authorized to make out and open a poll at the voting place in said Precinct on the 19 day of March 1904, for the purpose of taking the sense of the legal voters in said precinct, who are qualified to vote at an election for County officers in said precinct, upon the proposition whether or not Spirituous, vinous or malt liquors shall be sold or bartered or loaned in said precinct. The Sheriff of Lawrence County is ordered to publish this order in some weekly or daily paper published in Lawrence County at least two weeks before said election, and also to advertise the same by printed or written hand bills at five conspicuous places in said precinct for said time of two weeks before the election. The clerk of this Court is ordered within five days after this order is made to make out five copies of this order and deliver them to the Sheriff of Lawrence County, and to be served by the said Sheriff upon each of the County Board of Election Commissioners of Lawrence County, and one copy to be retained by the Sheriff, and make a return thereon.

copy, Attest: ADD SKEENS, Clerk.

No. 710.

Treasury Department—Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 27, 1904. WHEREAS, BY STATUTE, evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Louisa" located in the City of Louisa, in the County of Lawrence, and State of Kentucky, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Louisa" located in the City of Louisa, in the County of Lawrence, and State of Kentucky, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States. Conversion of the Bank of Louisa.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this twenty-seventh day of January, 1904.

T. P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Well Again.

The many friends of John Blount will be pleased to learn that he has entirely recovered from his attack of rheumatism. Chamberlain's Pain Balm cured him after the best doctors in the town (Monroe, Ind.) had failed to give relief. The prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

Raw or Inflamed Lungs.

Yield quickly to the wonderful curative and healing qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. It prevents pneumonia and consumption from a hard cold settled on the lungs. Louisa Drug Co.

A FAMILY OF NINE Protected From Catarrhal Diseases by Peruna.



Mrs. Fred Bartz, St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Fred Bartz, 7901-3 Ivory Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "As long as we have had Peruna to the house we have not needed a doctor, and there are none of us in the family. Peruna has rendered greater service than five doctors and all the patent medicines I used in the six years that I was sick. I was so bad that no one thought I would ever recover."

A cold in the beginning of catarrh. To prevent colds, to cure colds, to cheer the heart, to cure the family. If Peruna is used in the family to prevent colds, the family is protected against other ailments. Keep Peruna in the house. Use it for coughs, colds, in gripe, and other climatic affections of winter, and there will be no other ailments in the house. Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., for free circular book.

THE LOUISA NATIONAL BANK.

No. 712. Treasury Department.

Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3, 1904. WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Louisa National Bank," located in the City of Louisa, in the County of Lawrence, and State of Kentucky, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgeley, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Louisa National Bank," located in the City of Louisa, in the County of Lawrence, and State of Kentucky, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this third day of February, 1904.

Wm. B. RIDGELEY, Comptroller of the Currency.

KAVANAUGH.

Al. Carter, of Louisa, was here recently.

Lewis Faulkner and Henry Havens were calling on friends at Buchanan Sunday.

James McSorley called on his daughter, Mrs. Charley Sunday.

Sally Turman is visiting her sister, at Ashland.

Simpson Dyre will leave our neighborhood in the near future. A. J. Havens will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Dyre.

J. P. Rankin visited home folks Sunday.

A misfortune befell Lewis and Will Faulkner last week in the form of a straw stack turning over on eight head of fine cattle killing one of the number.

Joe Powell has purchased a line horse from J. M. Finney.

The party that was given by Misses Georgia, Lizzie and Leadora Dyer at which Phil Turman, Charley Turman, John Havens and Wilford McSorley were entertained by various games, was very much enjoyed.

Joe Ally made a flying trip to Catlettsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Belle Pritchard and son Willie, visited friends in Kenova, W. Va., last week.

William Helton was calling on friends on Durbin Sunday.

Willie Pritchard is attending school at Buchanan.

Miss Nannie Powell is visiting relatives and friends at Dickson, W. Va.

A WOMAN'S COMPLEXION.

It is rank foolishness to attempt to remove sallowness or greasiness of the skin by the use of cosmetics, or "local" treatment as advocated by the "beauty doctors." The only safe and sure way that a woman can improve her complexion is by purifying and enriching the blood, which can only be accomplished by keeping the liver healthy and active. The liver is the seat of disease and blood pollution. Green's August Flower acts directly on the liver, cleanses and enriches the blood, purifies the complexion. It also cures constipation, biliousness, nervousness, and induces refreshing sleep. A single bottle of August Flower has been known to cure the most pronounced and distressing cases of dyspepsia and indigestion. New trial-size bottle, 25 cents; regular size, 75 cents. At all druggists.

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ONE PRICE—THE LOWEST PRICE.

Special Prices on Ladies Artistic Muslin Underwear, Shoes, Laces, Embroideries, Queensware and Glassware.

Mens " Fancy flowered lamp chimneys . . . 45c	Kitchen Lamp complete . . . 25c
" glass pickers . . . 10c	Blue, white Enam. kettles . . . 30c
" Berry bowls . . . 10c	Enam. wash pans . . . 15c
" pickle dishes . . . 5c	Gray steel wash pans . . . 15c
" desert . . . 25c	Driving bridle . . . \$1.00
4 piece sets for tables . . . 25c	Riding bridle . . . 75c
Ink a bottle . . . 4c	Out meat double kettles granite . . . 60c
Pens 3 for . . . 5c	Granite chambers . . . 25c
Tablets each . . . 3, 5, 10c	Dinner pails . . . 25c
Letter paper, box . . . 10, 15, 20, 35c	Large size honey stands . . . 25c
Bridle bits each . . . 5c	Jelly stand with top . . . 10c
Door locks handle, knob comp. . . 11c	Biscuit pans . . . 10c
Well hickels wooden . . . 4c	Shoe polish . . . 8c
" zinc . . . 2c	Misses overshoes up to 2 1/2 . . . 25c
Zinc water buckets each . . . 15, 24c	Heavy 15-in. glass vases . . . 15c

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Paintsville, Kentucky.

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First Day.	\$ 3,067.27
End of first six months.	94,334.62
End of First Year.	201,380.66
End of sixteen months.	250,850.36

The majority of the Board of Directors of this Bank are merchants and farmers, known throughout this section of the State as conservative, progressive, business men.

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Our new line has never been surpassed.

Wait for Mr. P. E. Jabrass.

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PORTSMOUTH, - OHIO.

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Numerous inquiries are still coming to the Big SANDY NEWS from persons wanting to buy farms in this county. Those who want to sell will do well to send us full description and lowest price immediately.

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We handle all kinds of FARM SEEDS, such as

Wheat, Rye, Red Clover, Oats, Alfalfa Clover, Timothy, Red Top, Kentucky Blue Grass, English Blue Grass, Orchard Grass, Southern German Millet.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1904.

Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1904:
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER,
—or—
SEN. ARTHUR P. GORMAN.

The Kentucky Senate has passed the bill making it a felony to steal chickens or other poultry.

The Kentucky Senate killed the bill to repeal the law prohibiting the rebating of life insurance premiums.

The lower house of the Mississippi Legislature voted down a resolution to invite W. J. Bryan to address the Legislature.

The retrial of the Dreyfus case, which is formally to satisfy the Dreyfusards by publicly establishing the innocence of Dreyfus, began in Paris Monday.

The effort of Caleb Powers, under a death sentence for complicity in the assassination of Gov. William Geobal, to secure a new trial, will be taken up in the Court of Appeals, March 17th.

Gov. Beckham has issued a call for a meeting of the State School Commission at Frankfort Friday afternoon for the purpose of organization and putting the law into effect.

A Pennsylvania member of the House has introduced a bill to limit to 80,000 the number of immigrants to be admitted to the United States in any one year from any one country.

Congressman Bankhead has accepted the challenge for joint debate in the Sixth Alabama district issued by Capt. Hobson, and a vigorous campaign will be waged until the primary of May 11.

John Bryan, a wealthy farmer living at Yellow Springs, Ohio, wants Berea College to move over there, with all its assorted colors of students. We hope he will get it. The name of the place is very appropriate.

Representative Hopkins, of the Tenth Kentucky district, made a strong speech in the House at Washington in advocacy of the bill amending the Internal Revenue laws so as to permit farmers to sell tobacco of their own growth without paying tax on it.

At a caucus of the Republican members of the Ohio Legislature at Columbus, Gen. Charles Dick, of Akron, was nominated by acclamation for both the unexpired and short terms of United States Senator to succeed the late M. A. Hanna. Gen. Dick's name was the only one presented.

Indictments charging subornation of perjury were returned against B. F. French and Ed Calfahan at Cynthiana. A. C. Adams, who was given a year in the penitentiary for perjury, was granted a new trial and released on his own recognizance.

Senator Campbell introduced a bill in the Senate to amend the new School Book Law by abolishing the county board system of adoption and substituting the State board system. The bill requiring counties to pay half of the \$75 allowance to pauper idiots failed to receive the constitutional two-fifths vote in the House.

You can get Finch and Pitt at Conley's.

Ayer's

We know what all good doctors think of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor and find out. He will tell

Cherry Pectoral

you how it quiets the tickling throat, heals the inflamed lungs, and controls the hardest of coughs.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is well known in your family. We think it is the best medicine in the world for coughs and colds.

For

Hard Coughs

One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative.

Want Judge Paynter To Run.

During the past week some influential friends of Judge Thomas H. Paynter, of the Court of Appeals, have started a quiet movement to induce him to become a candidate for United States Senator to succeed Senator J. C. S. Blackburn, who is himself a candidate. The question has not yet been formally presented to Judge Paynter, as it is well known that it would take a great deal of pressure to induce him to become a candidate. It is his present intention to serve out his present term of eight years on the Appellate bench and then retire permanently from political life, but certain of his friends believe they may be able to show him that he ought to run for the Senate. He served the Ninth district in Congress several terms and has been twice elected to the Appellate bench, never having been defeated for any office which he sought.

The race at present is made up of two entries, Senator Blackburn and Congressman D. H. Smith, of the Fourth district.

THEAD.

The sick in our neighborhood are improving.

Mrs. and Mrs. David Berry, of Itch Creek, visited Joe Webb's family recently.

Miss Mary Prose is attending school at Blaine.

Miss Bessie Berry is visiting relatives here.

Married, recently at the home of Rev. G. M. Copey, Mr. Thos. Chaffin to Miss Kate Graham. May happiness be theirs.

Dennie Burton and wife visited W. V. Prince and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Inez Moore is on the sick list.

Virgil Prose, of Whitehouse, visited home folks recently.

Willie Berry was smiling on the fair sex Sunday.

Voss Ball is clearing ground.

Jack Whitl and family visited at Allen H. Thompson's Sunday.

You and I.

LUNDA.

A. J. Evans purchased a fine young steer of Sam Cordie a few days ago.

Born, to Chitt Osborn and wife a girl.

George Wheeler, the famous coal digger, got out a fine lot of coal for A. J. Evans last week.

Frank Cantrel has moved near the Fiat Gap.

Misses Monia and Gertrude Evans made a trip to Drakes Fork Sunday.

Mollie Williams visited her uncle Felix Grimley Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Adams who has been sick for a few days, is improving.

Jess Sparks, of Boyd county, was on our creek last week. Wild Bill.

SUMMIT.

Mrs. Mary Sammons was visiting her mother Sunday.

Charley Sammons and Tom Fraley are very much interested in the business.

Nancy Coburn and Lucy Lambert are contemplating a visit to Walbridge soon.

Jim Johnson bought a cow from Nat York.

Wayne Coburn has been visiting his brother-in-law at Kellogg, W. Va.

Jennie and Lucy Coburn were the guests of Miss Cella Parker Sunday.

Cella Parker spent Sunday night with Miss Lucy Coburn.

Willie Craig has been visiting his mother this week.

Florence Burchett was calling on Mrs. Martha Johnson.

Taylor Coburn was calling on Mr. George Cox Sunday.

Joe Burchett was at Little Blaine last week.

Let us hear from Gallup and Toroblight again. Renington.

MADGE.

The sick of our vicinity are better.

Mrs. Polly Pickle, of Louisa has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Inez Moore who has been very sick.

Mrs. Rosa Vinson visited home folks last Saturday and Sunday accompanied by her charming cousin, Miss Bell Vinson.

Several from this place attended church at Danies creek Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Shannon who has been staying with her sister Mrs. Carter at Yatesville has returned home.

Jay Vinson visited his uncle Mr. Mart Johns Sunday.

Donnie Gambitt, flump flawa and Strawberry Hutchison will leave for Colorado soon.

THE BIG STORE.

AN EXTRAORDINARY 10c SPECIAL IN WHITE GOODS.

TEN CENTS WILL BUY TWENTY CENT VALUES AS LONG AS THEY LAST.

This sale is remarkable because it's just a "happen so." While our buyer was in the East recently, he was unexpectedly offered these entire lots at a figure which makes the prices given here impossible under most any other condition. We realize that they are by far the best values we ever offered in this line. We hardly expect the opportunity to occur again, soon. Read every item.

Fancy White Goods.

Lot No. 1 is composed of an excellent quality of Sheer Cloth, Dimity Cord and Mercerized Stripe. A fabric manufactured to sell for 20c. This special sale 10c

Lot No. 2 is a very good grade of white goods. Made of Welt Cord, open work and Mercerized Stripe. Material selling regularly for 10c double this special price of 10c

Lot No. 3 offers a fine quality of Pique Cord, open work effect. Very nice for waists and white dress purposes. Patterns that usually cost twice this special price, to be sold for 10c

Lot No. 4 shows a new open weave P. K. Cord, one of this season's latest productions. Very pretty design. Choice material offered to you at the unusual price of 10c

NOTE The mercerized work in the above materials is mercerized in the yarn and are first quality NOTE

Swiss Curtain Material We could only get a limited lot of these—about a dozen pieces, 36 in. material in evel spots and figures. Regular the grade—good value in every particular to be sold for 10c per yd.

Special Notice.

The advance prices of the cotton goods market at present will show the above offering to be exceptional value. It is an unprecedented purchase for us and we extend the advantages to you.

Valentine, Newcomb & Carder,

The Big Store. Third Avenue.
Huntington,
West Virginia.

Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills

have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, causing them to perform their natural functions as in youth and

IMPARTING VIGOR
to the kidneys, bladder and liver. They are adapted to old and young.

is hauling logs for Brown, Taylor & Co.

Mrs. Doug Campbell died of smallpox on Little Fork. Some cases reported at Ballard Watson's, on Cat, brought from W. Va.

Writer has been to meeting of directors of Willard Bank, which is doing a good business.

The "Mules" had an enthusiastic meeting and determined to work harder than ever to have the laws enforced. They have broken up the illicit whiskey traffic here and will keep it out. Let all attend the meetings regularly.

Smallpox is reported at France's, up Dry Fork.

Ties raised to 37c.

Sorry to hear of the City Hall in Louisa burning. Put the Mules after the case.

The Literary Friday night was splendid. The children did fine, especially Dewey Webb, age 6 Wm. Green and Jay O'Daniel had it hot on the subject, "Resolved, that the U. S. should keep out of the war in the far East."

Wm. Young, of Irish creek, moved to Greenup county.

Miss Emma Kasee was here enroute to Columbus to visit her brother. She is a beautiful girl and the boy that gets her will get a jewel.

Joe Fields' horse was stolen Friday night and two stores robbed in Perkins town (near here) this morning. The "Mules" were notified and before three o'clock that afternoon they had caught Dick Griffith and the horse on East Fork. He is now in jail at Louisa.

OVERDA.

Garfield Adams has his new bone about completed.

John Evans is on the sick list. Wm. Young has moved to Greenup county.

Samuel Large will move to Breathitt county this week.

Rev. Large's protracted meeting closed at Daniel's creek with 16 converts. A church house at that place and Irish creek is badly needed.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Large a boy, weight 11 pounds.

J. R. Dean is somewhat improved.

FAIRBURN.

Nothing unusual has occurred here lately except Marlon Jordan's house caught fire from the stove flue. Fortunately it is but a short distance from the waters of Blaine, and some active boys with buckets of water soon put the blaze out.

The Odd Fellows Hall is now ready for use.

G. W. Norris and wife have returned from a visit to his brother at Huntington, W. Va.

W. T. Kane has received the following in regard to his shipment of agricultural products to the World's Fair at St. Louis: "I write you immediately upon receipt of your shipment, thanking you for same, and saying that our warehouse man expressed the be-

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CAPITAL \$30,000.00.

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We want your business, whether it be large or small, and will show our appreciation in every way possible. Everybody invited to call and look the new institution over.

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is pure food.

Lion Coffee

is all coffee—no glazing of eggs or glue to conceal defects and cheapen its quality. Fresh and uniform, rich in flavor, because always in sealed packages—never in bulk.

T. J. stoop, one of our merchants, has closed out his store and moved to Williamson W. Va.

Arrison Scott was the guest of his aunt Ida Fraley Saturday and Sunday.

Walker Scott was calling on homefolks at Olive Sunday.

Miss Dollie Scott passed here enroute to Williamson, W. Va. where she will make her home.

BOONS CAMP.

Wm. S. Ward and wife have moved to their home on Upper Greasy.

S. W. Ward Sr. is preparing to move to Magoffin county.

Lige Setser, of Cline, was in our midst recently, as also was Lige Nonley of Pike county.

Clint Meek is moving to Ohio.

Your scribe has just returned from a week's stay at court at Paintsville—Judge Kirk and Atty. Butler are certainly making it hot for the law breakers. We hear it on all sides that this is the only court we have had in Johnson county for years and will no doubt have the tendency to put a check to lawlessness.

Louisa Spens, who recently moved from this place to W. Va., has moved back to this creek.

Born, recently to the wife of Shade Chaslin a fine boy.

H. M. Butcher and Robt. Perkey have a new saw mill on Two Mile creek, and will cut ties and lumber.

Born on the 25 inst, to the wife of James Waller, a girl.

There is quite a lot of sickness in this vicinity now, mostly colds and grip.

The first cattle buyer of the season was in our midst Saturday offering pretty fair prices.

Notice of Dissolution.

The mercantile firm of Thompson & O'Neal, of Busseyville, Ky., has mutually dissolved. C. S. Thompson assumes any indebtedness that may be against the firm, and all accounts due the firm are to be paid to him.

C. S. Thompson,
W. D. O'Neal.

Groceries

A number on a Fine Silver Tea Set goes free with every Dollars worth of Goods.

Dry Goods and Notions, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Hosiery and Clothing

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and you will realize that it is time to place your order for Spring Clothing. Buy it from the house that has stood the test of years, and always makes its work satisfactory.

Our new line has never been surpassed.

Wait for Mr. P. E. Jabrara.

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We handle all kinds of FAIRM SEEDS, such as

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We sell at the lowest market price, quality considered. Ask for our prices before purchasing elsewhere.

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Cattlettsburg, Kentucky.

New Spring Stock

We have a word to say just now in regard to our new spring stock, which is complete and one of the finest ever brought to Louisa. This stock has been purchased by an expert buyer, and, therefore, we are in position to furnish you the best for the least money. Our line consists of

Dry Goods and Notions, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Clothing, Dress Skirts, Shirt Waists, Etc.

If you are in need of anything in this line, come in and look at our goods; if not, come in and look away. It cost you nothing to look and we take great pleasure in showing you through the entire stock. Space will not permit us to tell you one-half about this great store, so come in and see for yourself.

Yours for styles and low prices,

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